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2. ☒ Specification and Claims Total Sheets 10
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- ☐ Yes ☒ No
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- ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement
- ☐ Power of Attorney

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

7. ☐ Foreign Priority Claim (35 USC 119)
(if applicable)
8. ☐ Information Disclosure
Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449
- ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
9. ☐ English Translation of Reissue Oath/Declaration
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10. ☐ Small Entity Statement(s)
- ☒ Statement filed in prior application,
Status still proper and desired
11. ☒ Preliminary Amendment
12. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
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TRANSMITTAL OF SPECIFICATION

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Sir:

Pursuant to the MPEP section 1411, enclosed herewith is a copy of the original specification of the above-referenced U.S. Patent to be re-issued.

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